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6 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 DISTRICT OF ARIZONA
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9 United States of America,

10 Plaintiff,

11 vs.

12 Jaime Tapia-Gomez,

13 Defendant.
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No. 08-3290-M (LOA)

ORDER

(First Request)

15 HAVING considered Defendant Jaime Tapia-Gomez's Motion to Extend Time
16 to Indict and good cause having been shown;

17 THE COURT makes the following findings:

- 18 1. Counsel for defendant has only recently been appointed;
19 2. The defendant earnestly wishes to consider the plea offer extended by
20 the government;
21 3. The defendant wishes to investigate possible defenses prior to
22 considering the government's plea offer;
23 4. The government's plea offer, if accepted by the defendant and then the
24 court, would likely reduce defendant's exposure to a significant term
25 of imprisonment;
26 5. If the defendant does not timely accept the plea offer prior to
indictment, the government will withdraw said plea offer and any
subsequent plea offer after indictment would likely be less
advantageous to the defendant;

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